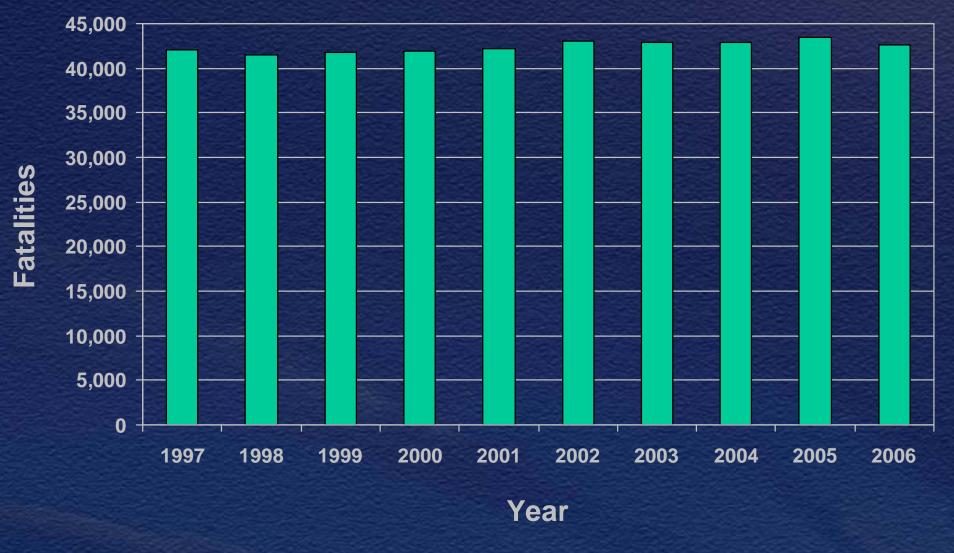


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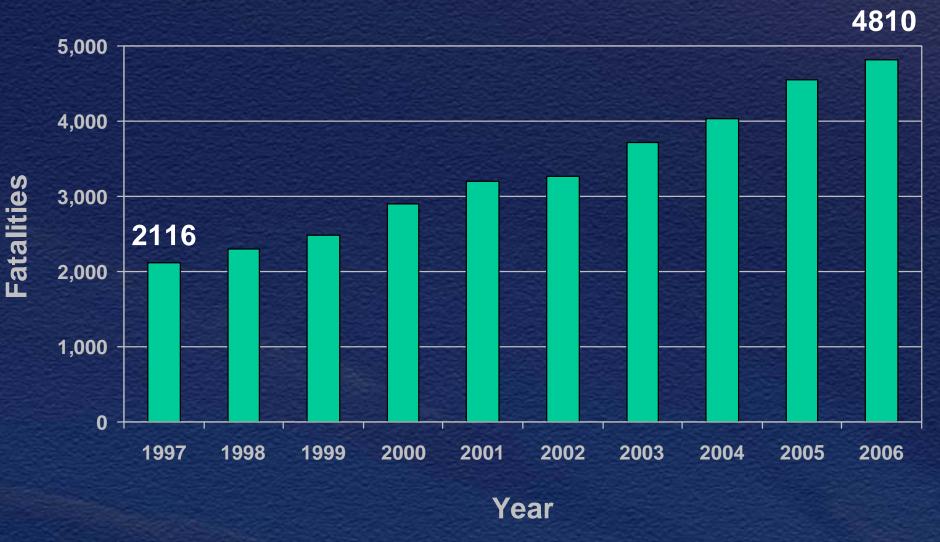
Motorcycle Safety Introduction

Total Highway Fatalities 1997-2006





Motorcycle Fatalities 1997-2006





Motorcycle Safety Trends

- 4,810 motorcycle fatalities in 2006
- Motorcycles account for 0.34% of miles traveled on roads
- Motorcycle fatalities accounted for more than 10% of all motor vehicle crash fatalities





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Motorcycle Safety Forum Panels

Trends and Safety Statistics

- Pat Murphy, MIC
- Umesh Shankar, NHTSA
- Ralph Gillmann, FHWA
- Carol Tan, PhD, FHWA
- Ted R. Miller, PhD, PIRE

Vehicle Design

- Wayne Curtin, Harley-Davidson
- Tom Baloga, BMW
- Jay Joseph, American Honda
- John Zellner, Dynamic Research Inc.

Rider Protective Equipment

- Richard Alcorta, MD, Maryland Institute for EMS Systems
- David Thom, Collision and Injury Dynamics
- Liz de Rome, LdeR Consulting
- Andy Goldfine, Aerostich
- Paul Varnsverry, PVA Technical File Services Ltd.

Training and Licensing

- Ray Ochs, EdD, MSF
- Jay Jackson, ABATE of Indiana
- Steve Garets, TEAM OREGON
- Ron Thompson, Wisconsin DOT
- Brett Robinson, Highway Safety Services

Public Education/Awareness

- Dean Thompson, MSF
- Wayne Wierson, ABATE of Iowa
- Chad Burns, Georgia Dept Driver Services
- David Snyder, American Insurance Association

Rider Impairment

- John Brick, PhD, Intoxikon International
- Diane Wigle, NHTSA
- Major Daniel Lonsdorf, Wisconsin DOT

Future Directions

- Ed Moreland, AMA
- Marilena Amoni, NHTSA
- Ed Moreland, AMA
- Tim Buche, MSF
- Colonel Jim Champagne, GHSA

NTSB Actions Since Forum

- Novelty helmets on crash forms
- Letter in support of crash causation study
- Review of materials from the forum and scientific literature



Issue Areas

- National Agenda for Motorcycle Safety (NAMS)
- Motorcycle activity data
- Motorcycle helmets



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